WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 5374

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served July 15, 1998

Application of VGA ENTERPRISES INC.) for a Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

Case No. AP-98-29

By application accepted for filing July 9, 1998, VGA Enterprises Inc., a Maryland corporation, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations in vehicles with a seating capacity of less than 16 persons only, including the driver.

Applicant proposes commencing operations with three vans. Applicant's proposed tariff contains monthly and hourly rates for service under a contract with U.S. Geological Survey.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than July 27, 1998, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
- 2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than August 17, 1998, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.
- 3. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is August 17, 1998, and that copies must be served on applicant's president, Vince Akins, Jr., 14625 Baltimore Avenue, Suite 288, Laurel, MD 20707.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

William H. McGrivery Executive Director